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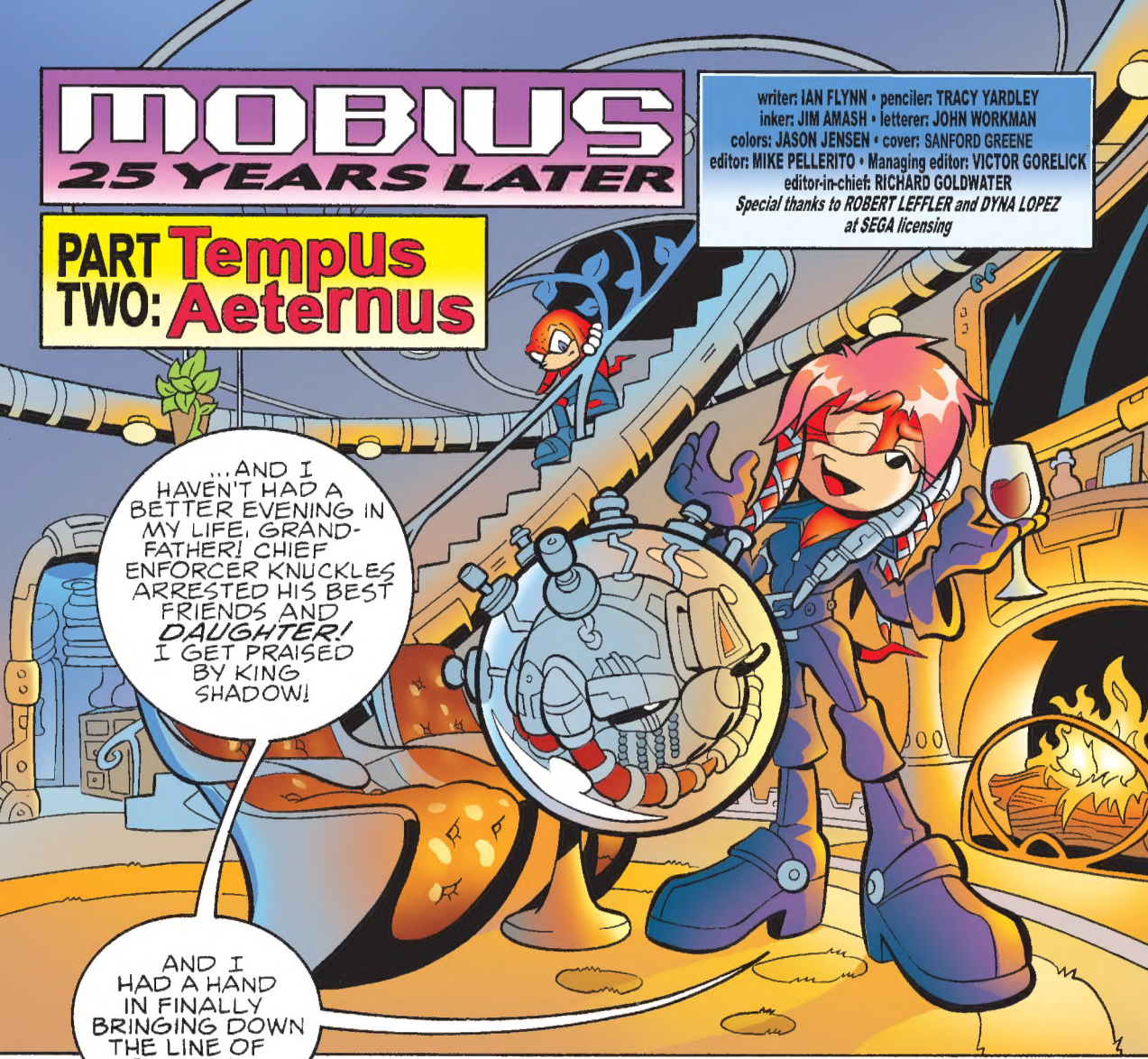


# MOBIUS

## 25 YEARS LATER

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...AND I  
HAVEN'T HAD A  
BETTER EVENING IN  
MY LIFE, GRAND-  
FATHER! CHIEF  
ENFORCER KNUCKLES  
ARRESTED HIS BEST  
FRIENDS AND  
**DAUGHTER!**  
I GET PRAISED  
BY KING  
SHADOW!

AND I  
HAD A HAND  
IN FINALLY  
BRINGING DOWN  
THE LINE OF  
EDMUND.

YOU ARE  
DESPICABLE,  
LIEN-DA! I  
HAVE NOT BEEN  
THIS ASHAMED  
OF MY BLOOD-  
LINE SINCE I  
WORKED WITH  
DOCTOR  
FINITEVUS.

GIVE  
IT A REST,  
DIMITRI.

THIS  
IS THE WAY  
THINGS ARE  
NOW. THE  
ONLY THREE  
WHO COULD  
CHANGE  
THINGS  
ARE NOW  
LOCKED  
AWAY.



THE CATACOMBS  
BENEATH CASTLE  
MOBIUS.

BRINGS BACK  
MEMORIES,  
DOESN'T IT?

YEP YOU, ME,  
AND A PRISON  
THAT WILL  
SURELY  
LEAD TO  
OUR END.

I CAN'T  
BELIEVE DAD  
LOCKED ME UP!  
WHEN I TELL  
MOM, SHE'S  
GONNA  
FLIP!

HOW CAN  
YOU ALL JOKE  
AT A TIME  
LIKE THIS?  
KING SHADOW  
WILL SHOW US  
NO MERCY.  
THERE IS NO  
HOPE FOR ANY  
OF US NOW.

I'LL SAY.  
RUTAN WILL  
NEVER LET  
ME HEAR  
THE END  
OF THIS.

HOW  
CAN YOU  
ACT LIKE THAT  
IN A TIME  
LIKE THIS?

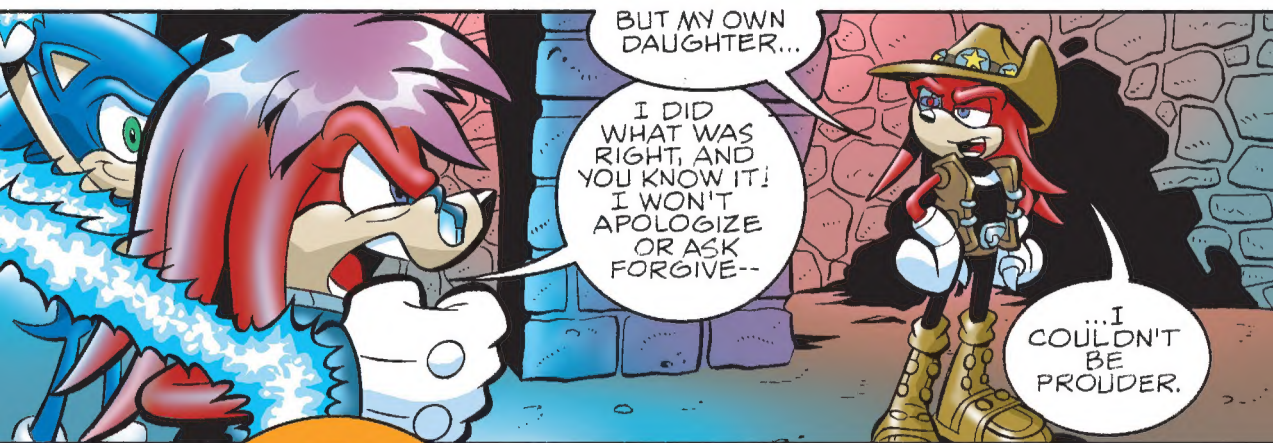
BECAUSE...

...SHE'S THE  
DAUGHTER OF A  
GUARDIAN.





I'M NOT SURPRISED A COUPLE OF LUNATICS LIKE YOU WOULD WIND UP LIKE THIS.



BUT MY OWN DAUGHTER...

I DID WHAT WAS RIGHT, AND YOU KNOW IT! I WON'T APOLOGIZE OR ASK FORGIVE--

...I COULDN'T BE PROUDER.



BEEP

WAIT... YOU PLANNED THIS ALL ALONG?!

OF COURSE WE DID. DID, YOU REALLY THINK I'D ARREST YOU FOR REAL?

ME? SURE.

MILES AND LARA-SU? NAH.





I'LL HACK INTO THE CASTLE'S SYSTEM AND MAKE SURE YOU AND KNUCKLES HAVE A CLEAR PATH, HE'LL GET QUEEN SALLY TO SAFETY SO THE MONARCHY REMAINS SOMEWHAT STABLE, THAT LEAVES...

SHADOW FOR ME. GOT IT.

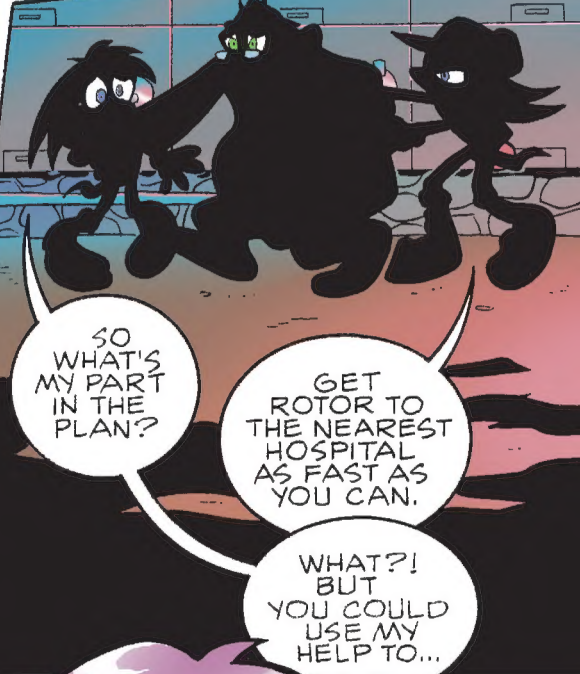


DID YOU KNOW I WAS LISTENING IN?

I WAS HOPING SO, AND THAT YOU'D REBEL LIKE THAT.

YOU THINK YOU KNOW ME PRETTY WELL, DON'TCHA?

YOU ARE YOUR MOTHER'S DAUGHTER.



SO WHAT'S MY PART IN THE PLAN?

GET ROTOR TO THE NEAREST HOSPITAL AS FAST AS YOU CAN.

WHAT?! BUT YOU COULD USE MY HELP TO...

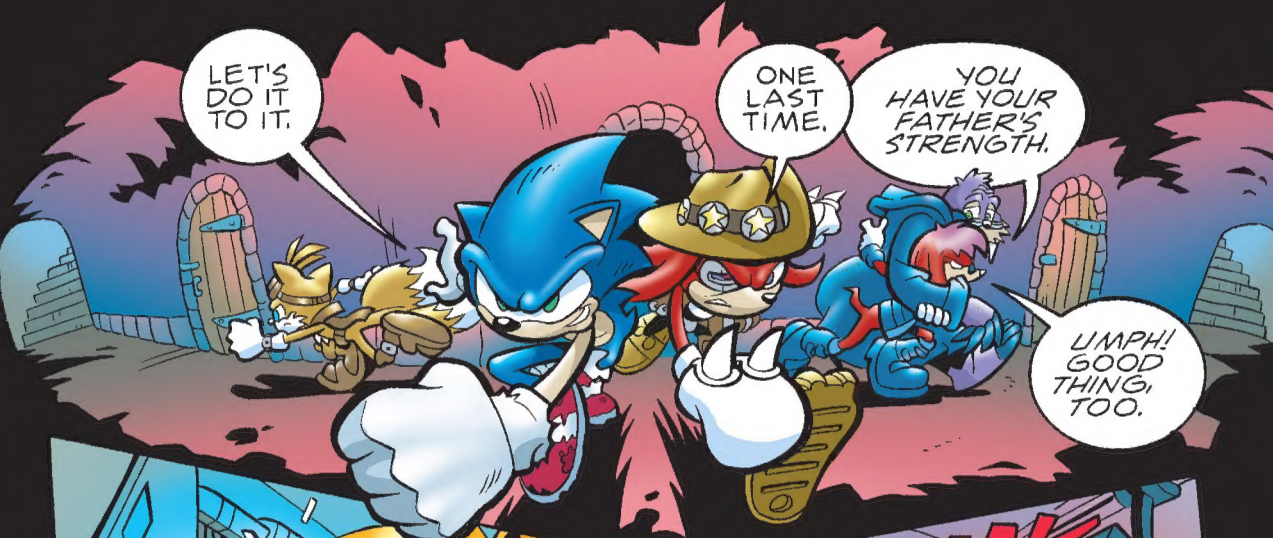


BUT YOU ARE HELPING. A GUARDIAN PROTECTS ALL THE PEOPLE, LARA-SU. YOU NEED TO START WITH THIS ONE.

I UNDERSTAND, DADDY. I'LL TAKE GOOD CARE OF HIM.

I KNOW YOU WILL.



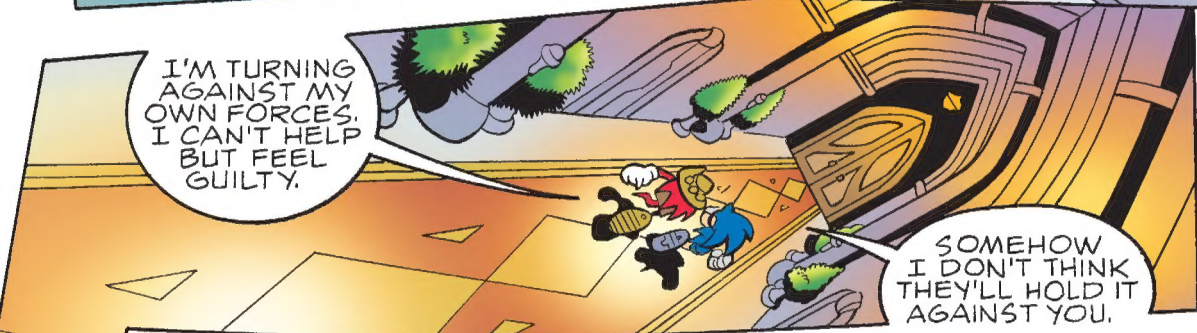
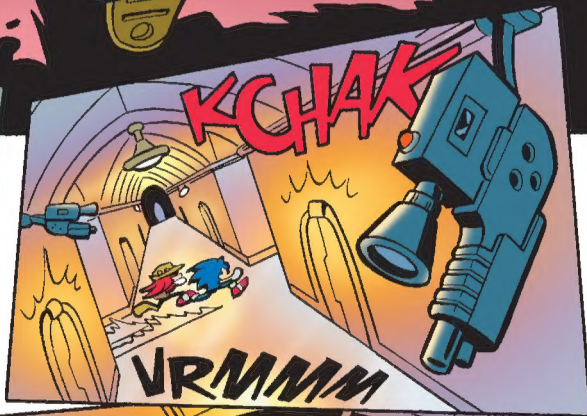


LET'S  
DO IT  
TO IT.

ONE  
LAST  
TIME.

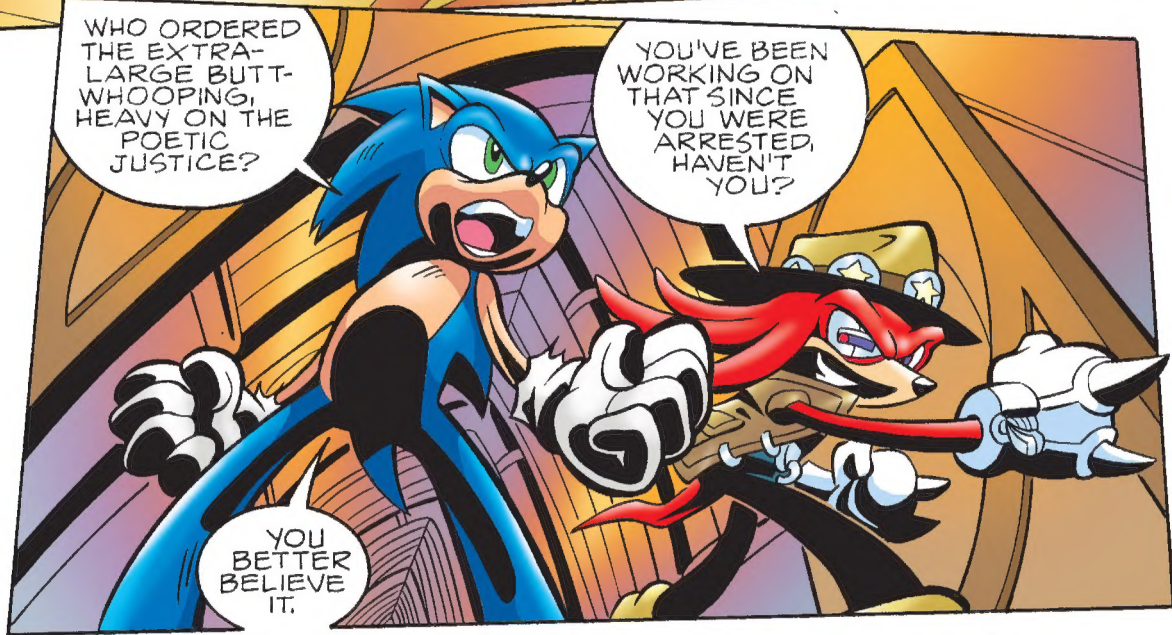
YOU  
HAVE YOUR  
FATHER'S  
STRENGTH.

UMPH!  
GOOD  
THING,  
TOO.



I'M TURNING  
AGAINST MY  
OWN FORCES.  
I CAN'T HELP  
BUT FEEL  
GUILTY.

SOMEHOW  
I DON'T THINK  
THEY'LL HOLD IT  
AGAINST YOU.

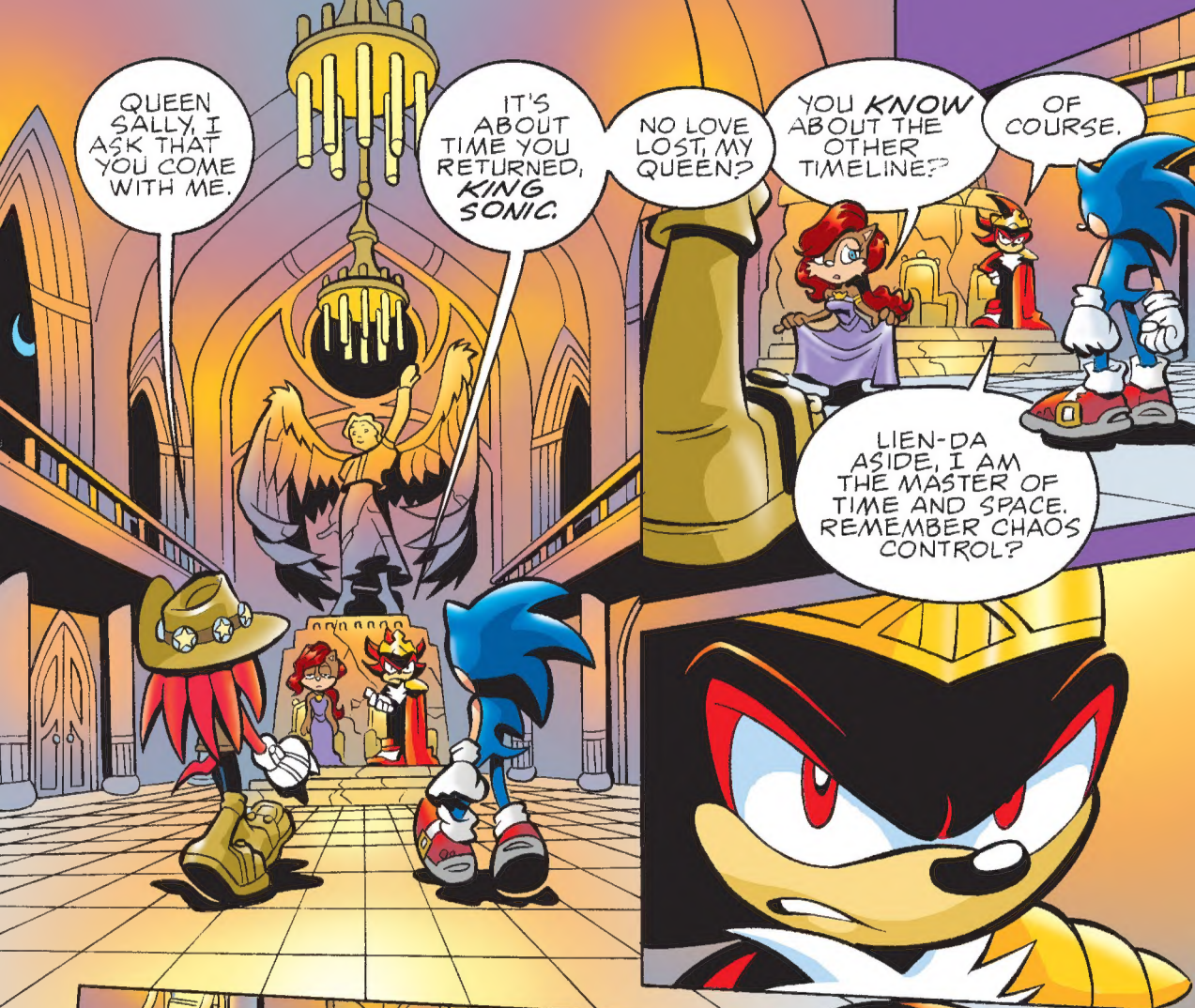


WHO ORDERED  
THE EXTRA-  
LARGE BUTT-  
WHOOPING,  
HEAVY ON THE  
POETIC  
JUSTICE?

YOU'VE BEEN  
WORKING ON  
THAT SINCE  
YOU WERE  
ARRESTED,  
HAVEN'T  
YOU?

YOU  
BETTER  
BELIEVE  
IT.









YOU  
ARE OLD  
PAST YOUR  
PRIME.

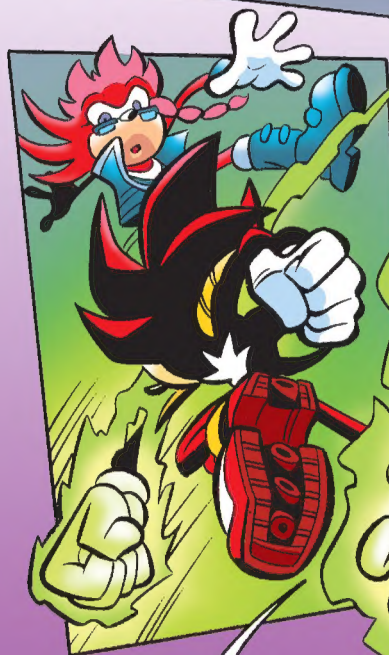
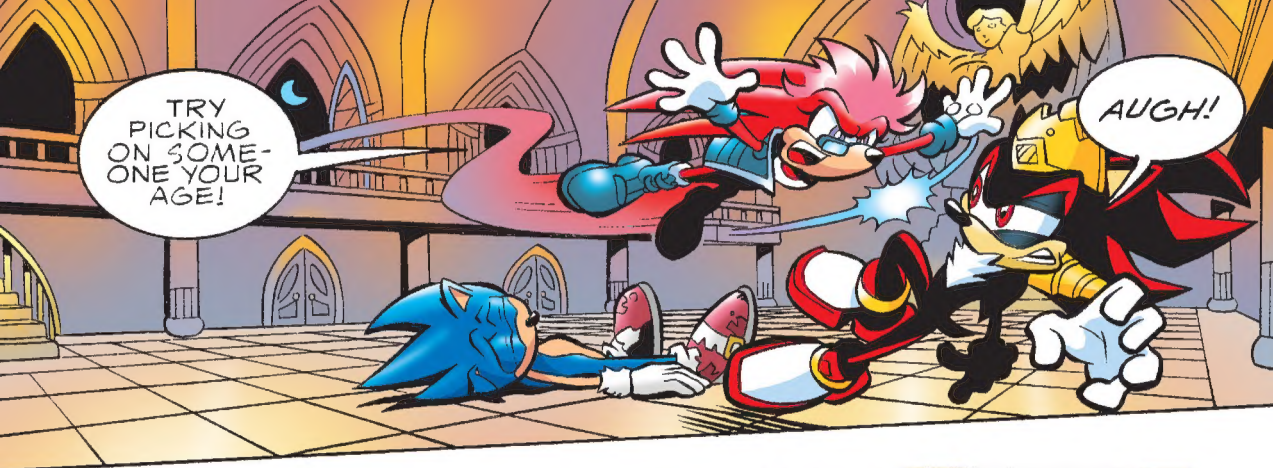
I AM THE  
ULTIMATE  
LIFEFORM.  
I NEVER  
AGE.

YOU  
WERE BARELY  
A CHALLENGE  
TWENTY-FIVE  
YEARS AGO.  
TODAY  
YOU ARE  
NOTHING.

FRUMP

THUD!





...BUT  
I CONTROL  
THE POWER  
OF CHAOS.

JOIN  
THE CLUB.





CHAOS  
SPEAR!

THE  
SERVERS  
ARE THE  
SEVEN  
CHAOS...



CHAOS  
SPEAR!

CHAOS  
IS POWER  
ENRICHED BY  
THE HEART!



AARGH...!

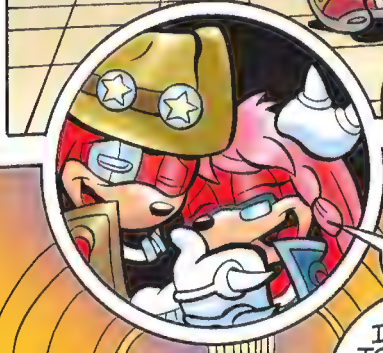
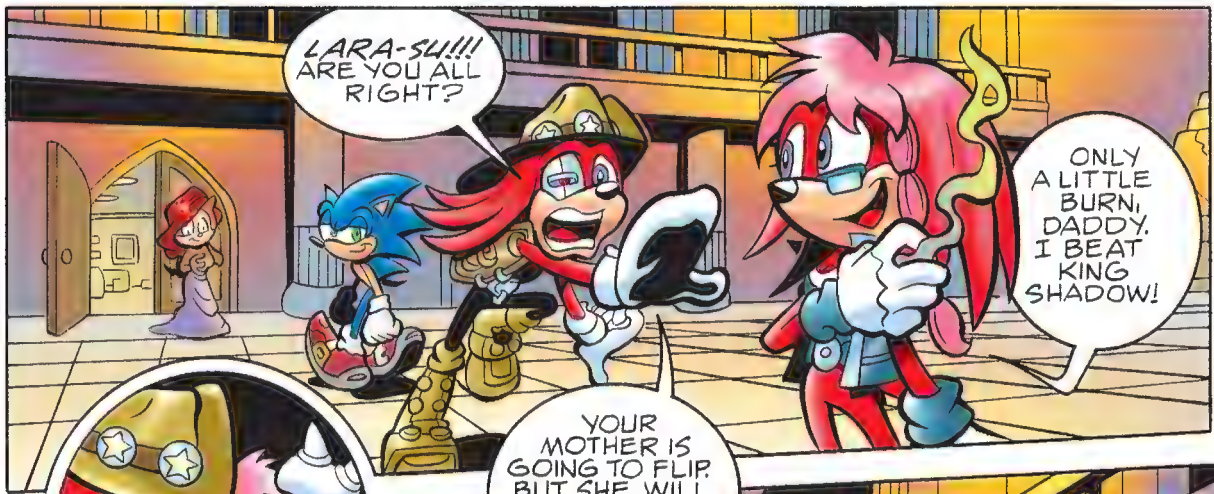
NNGH!  
CHAOS  
CONTROL!



WAY TO GO,  
LARA-SU. HOW  
LONG WILL  
THAT LAST?

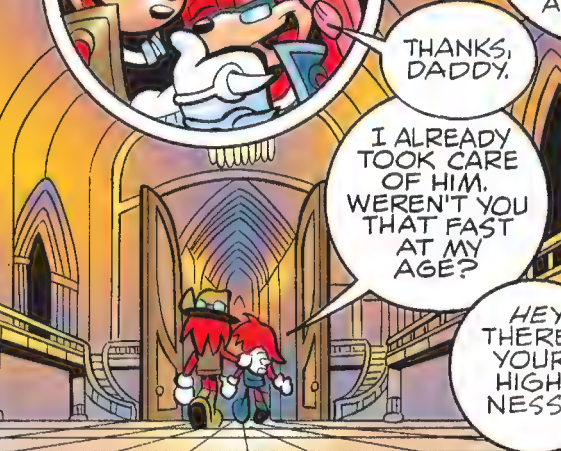
I'M NOT SURE...  
BUT I DON'T  
THINK MY  
GREAT-GREAT-  
GREAT-GREAT  
GRANDKIDS  
WILL HAVE  
TO WORRY.





YOUR MOTHER IS GOING TO FLIP. BUT SHE WILL BE SO PROUD. YOU'VE BEEN AMAZING.

THANKS, DADDY.



I ALREADY TOOK CARE OF HIM. WEREN'T YOU THAT FAST AT MY AGE?

HEY THERE... YOUR HIGHNESS...



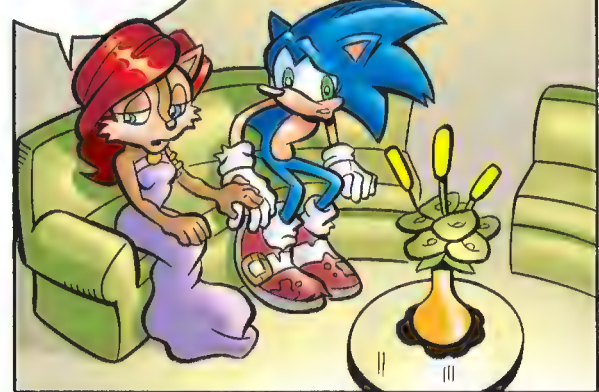
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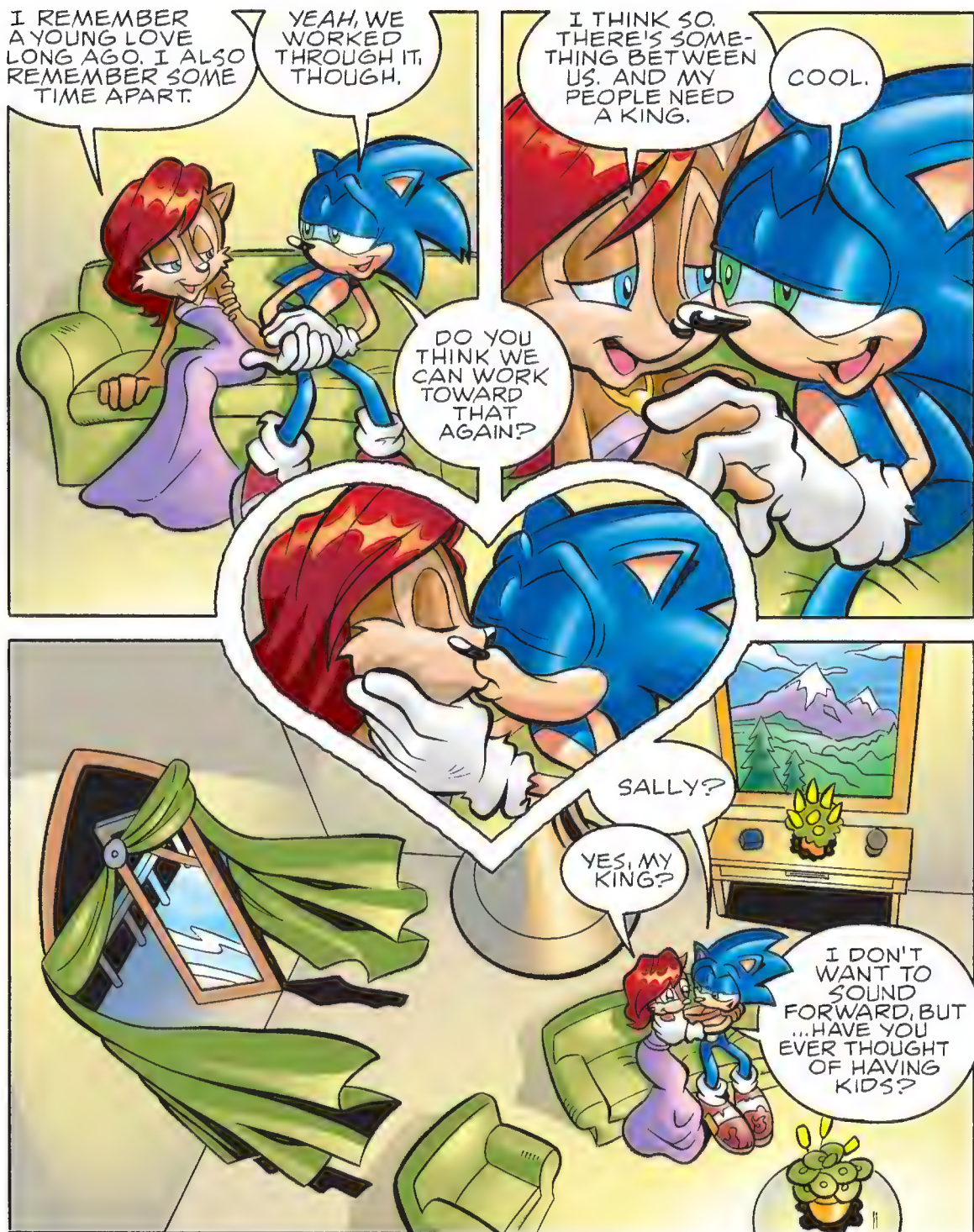
KNUCKLES EXPLAINED EVERYTHING TO ME. AS FANTASTIC AS IT SOUNDS... IT FEELS RIGHT. I KNEW SOMETHING WAS WRONG FOR ALL THESE YEARS, BUT WAS NEVER SURE WHAT.

I MARRIED SHADOW TO BRING STABILITY TO MOBIUS. I HOPED I COULD TAME HIM SOMEWHAT. I NEVER LOVED...

I FIGURED. WHAT DO YOU WANT TO DO ABOUT US?







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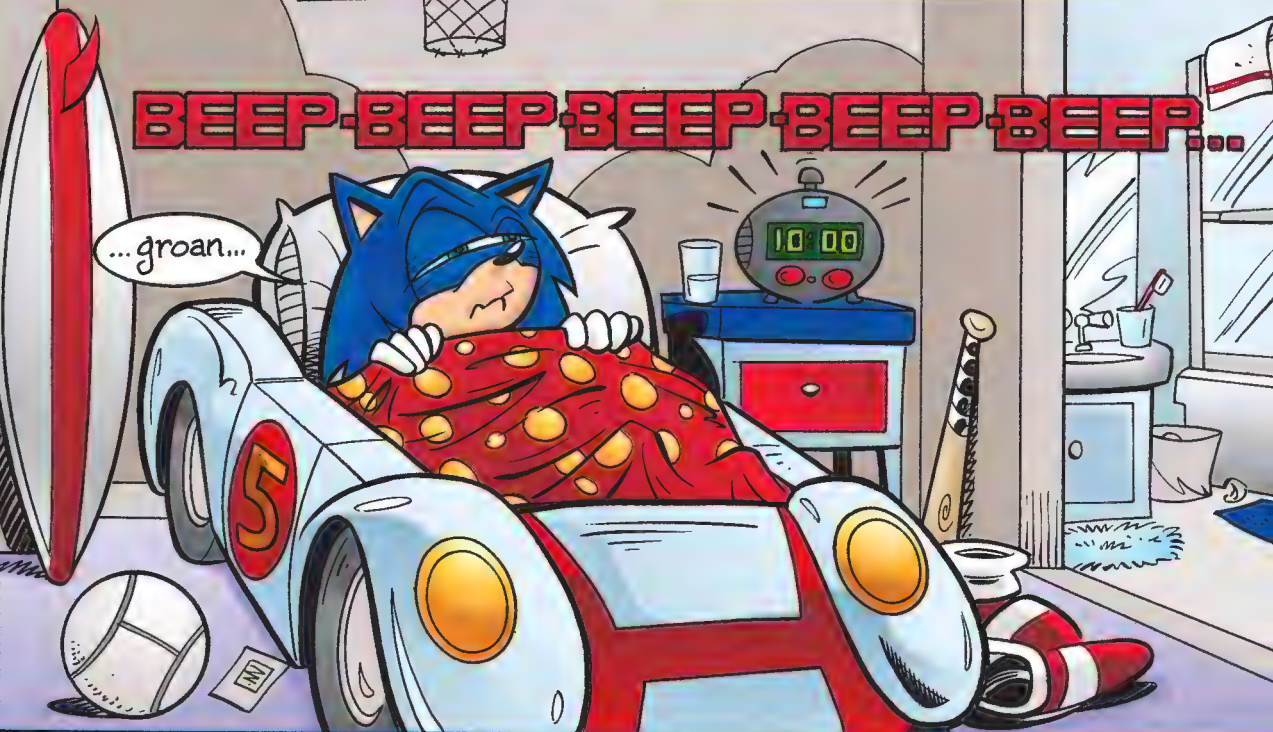
THE HEDGEHOG

## Hedgehog Day

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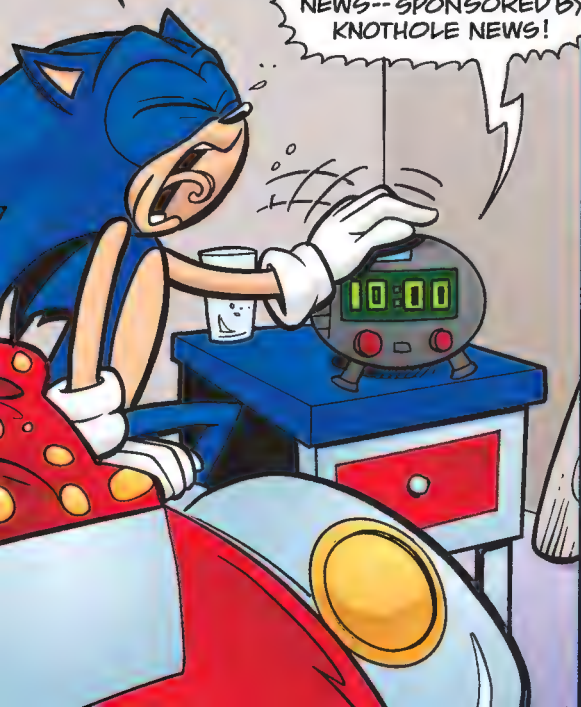
**BEEP-BEEP-BEEP-BEEP-BEEP...**

...groan...



YAWWWWN!

CHICKS AND THAT WAS MINA'S LATEST HIT, "SOLDIER BOY." MORE MUSIC ON ITS WAY AFTER THE NEWS-- SPONSORED BY KNOTHOLE NEWS!

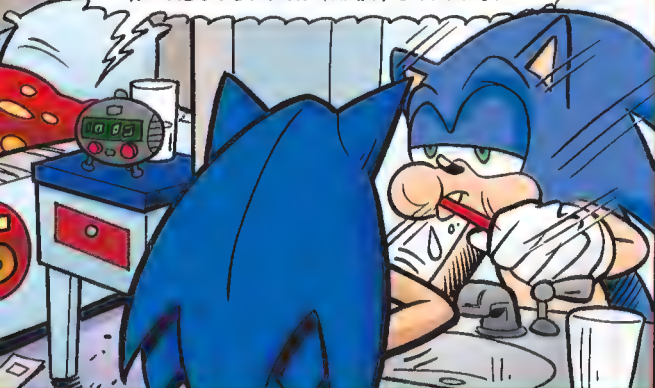


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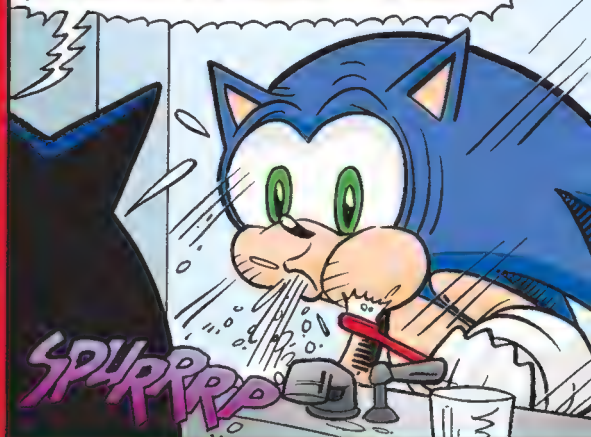




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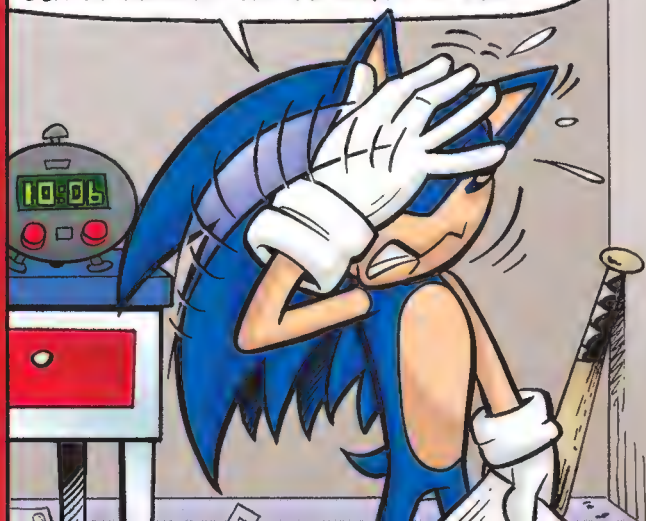
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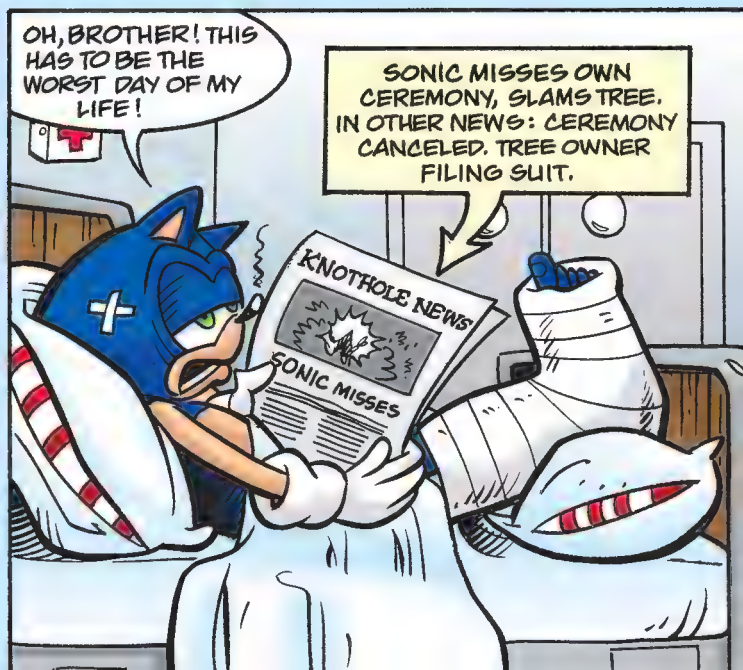
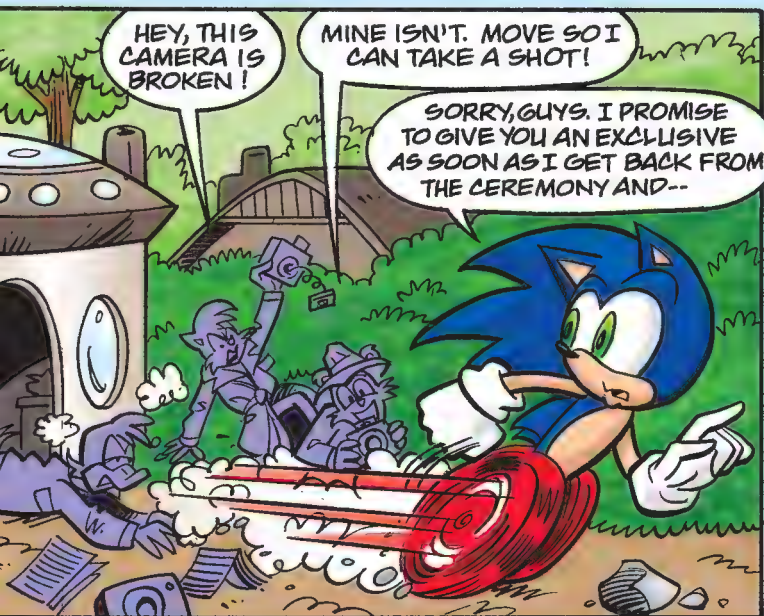
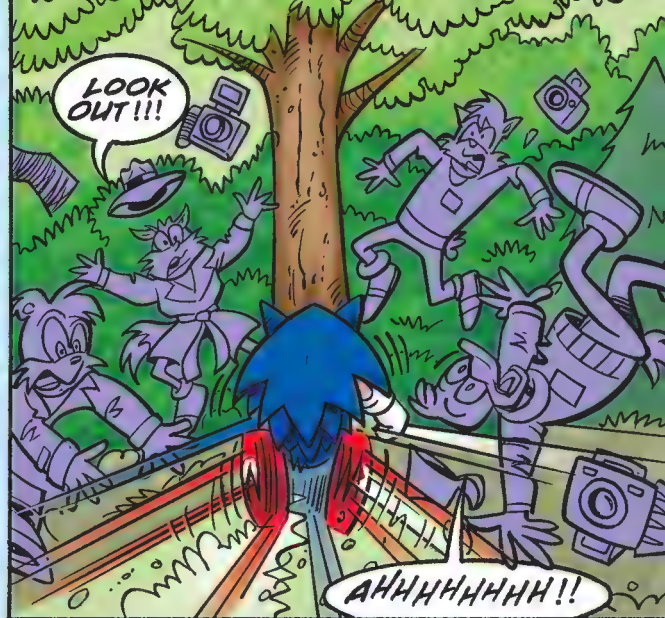
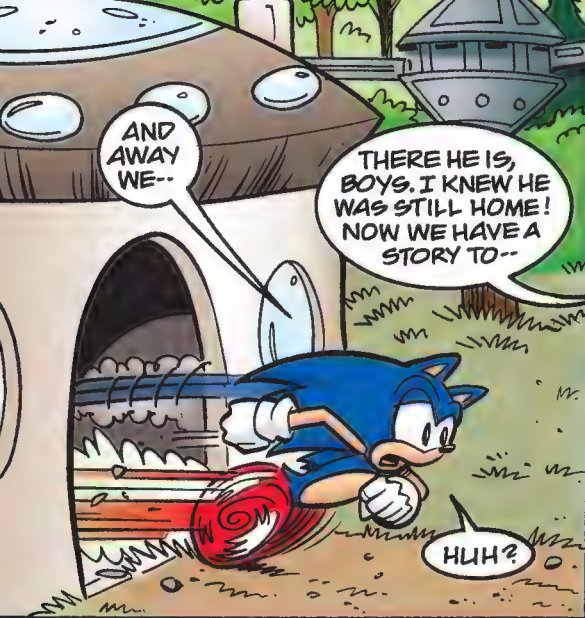
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ENJOY THE CELEBRATION  
CEREMONY OF  
SONIC'S BIRTHDAY  
**TODAY**  
10am. ON THE  
GREAT LAWN OF  
ALEXANDER  
MEMORIAL PARK

AW,  
MAN...!!

HOW COULD I HAVE BEEN SO STUPID? I SET THE ALARM CLOCK FOR THE TIME OF THE CEREMONY INSTEAD OF WHEN I WAS SUPPOSED TO WAKE UP. I BETTER GET CLEANED UP AND OUT OF HERE AT TRIPLE SONIC SPEED!





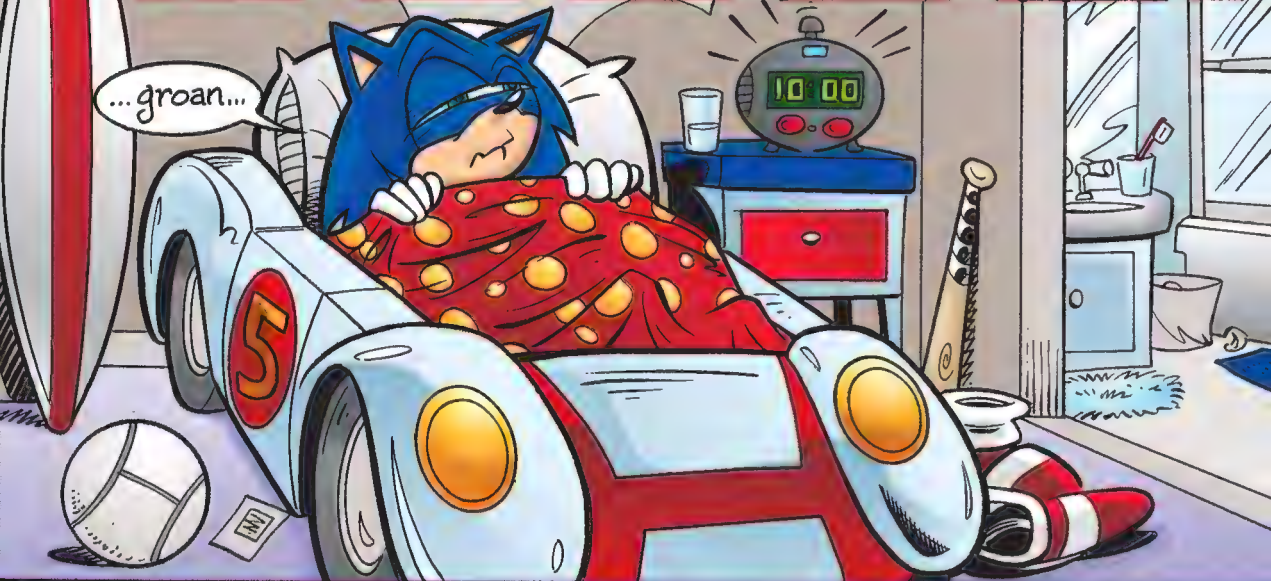




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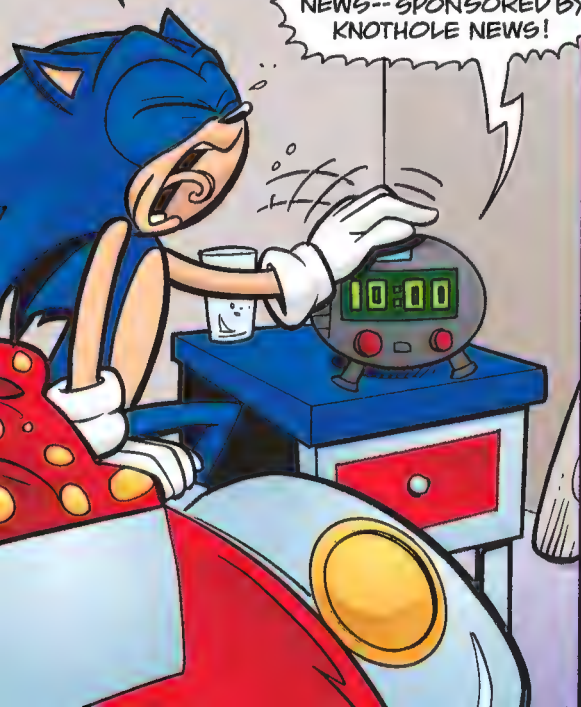
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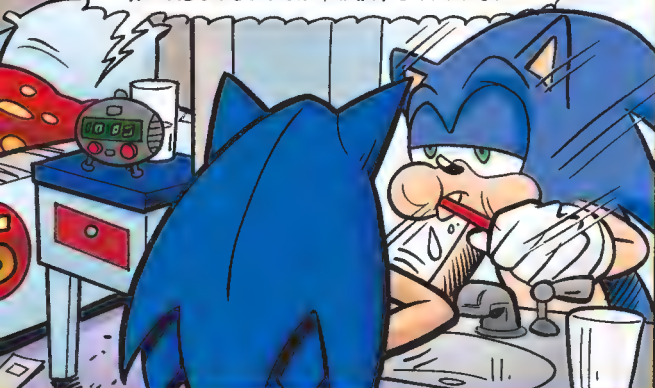


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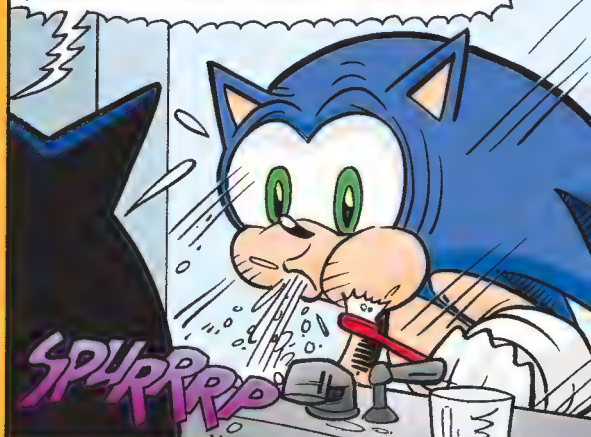




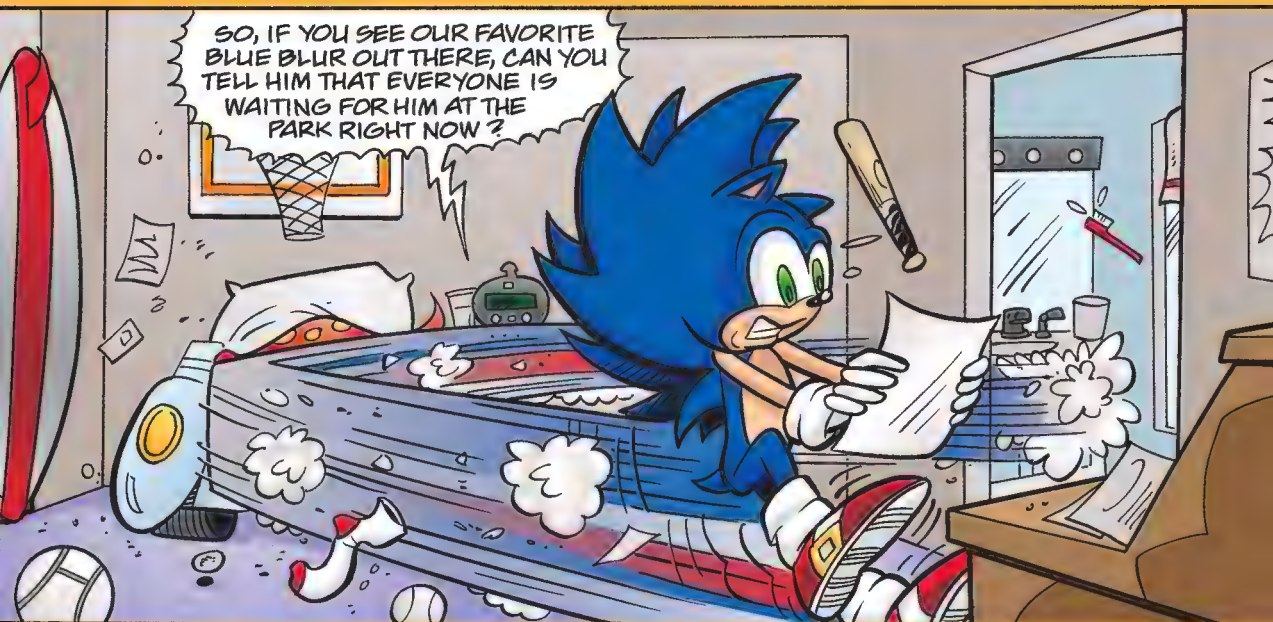
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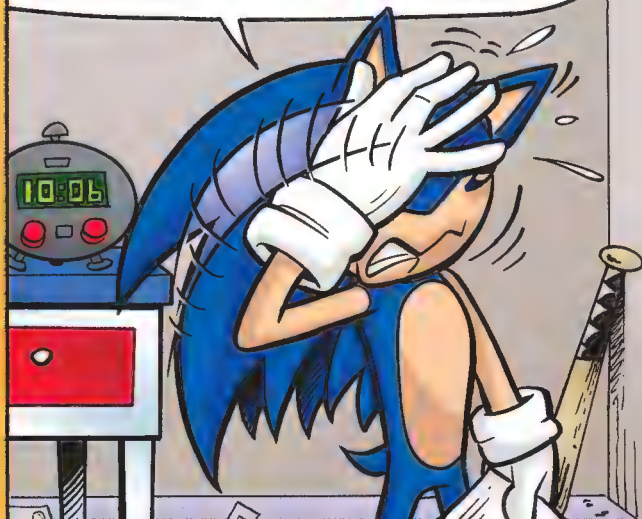
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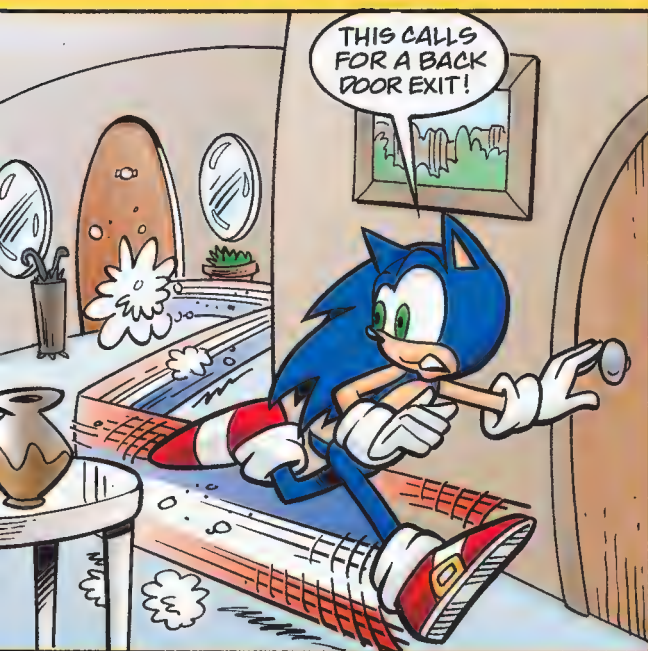
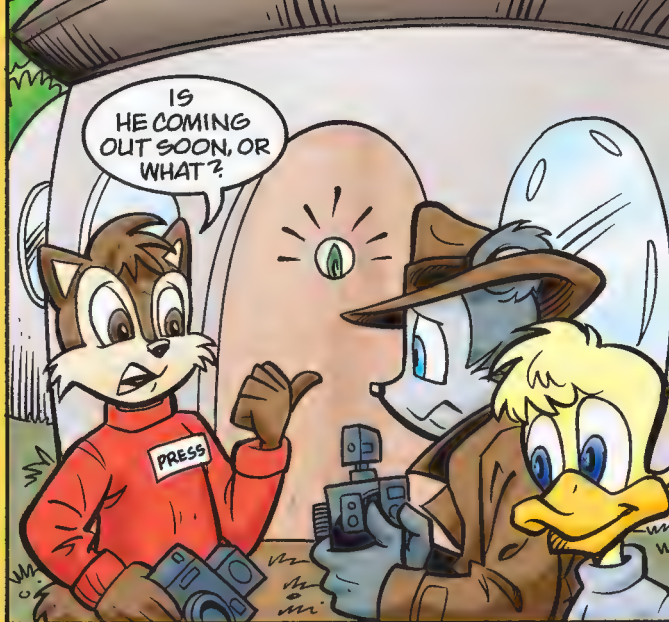
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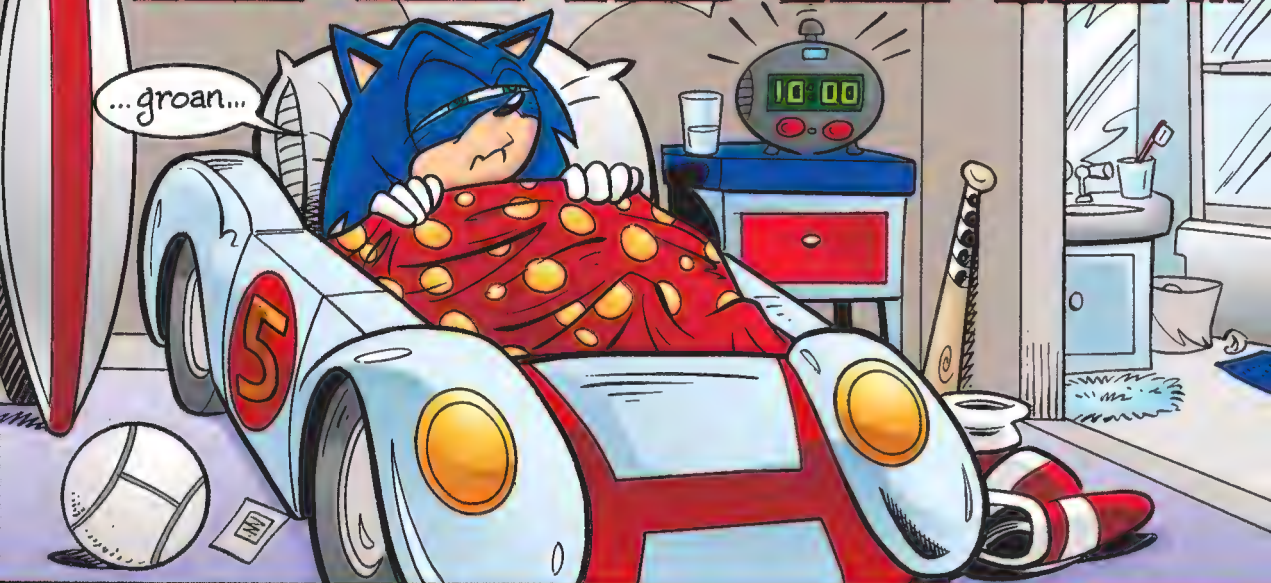




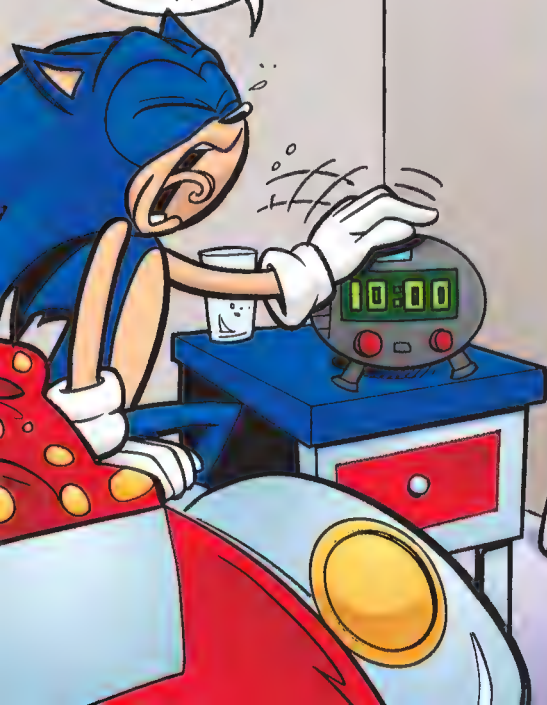
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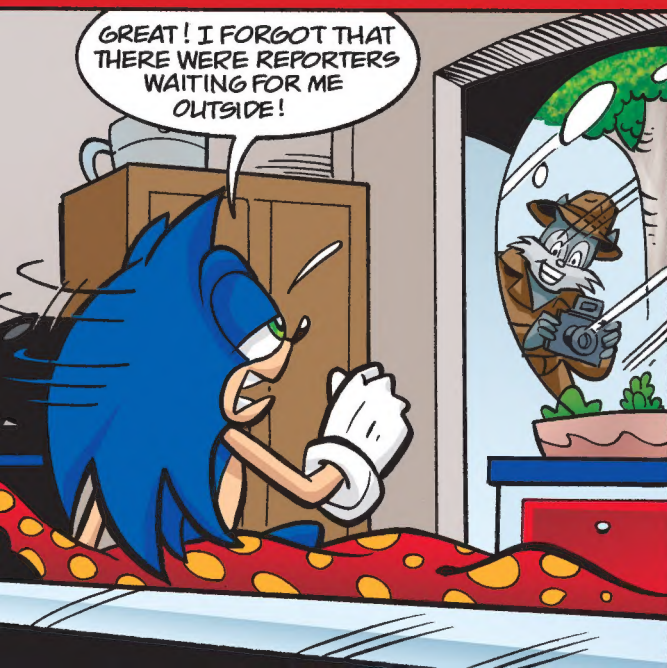
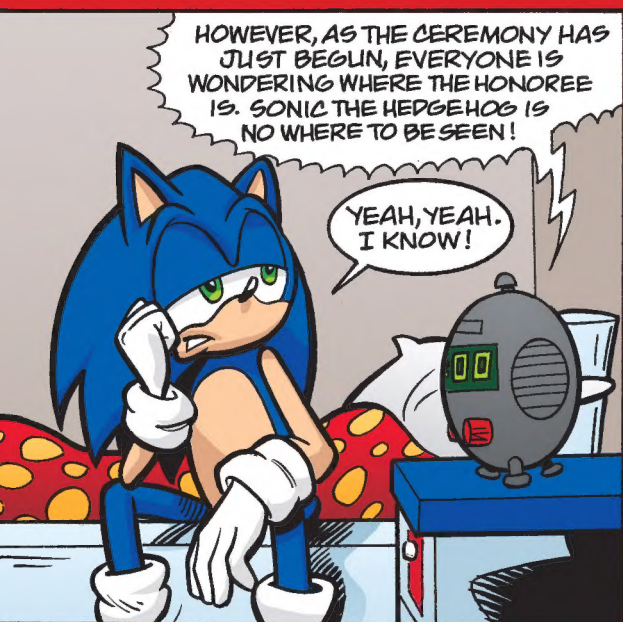
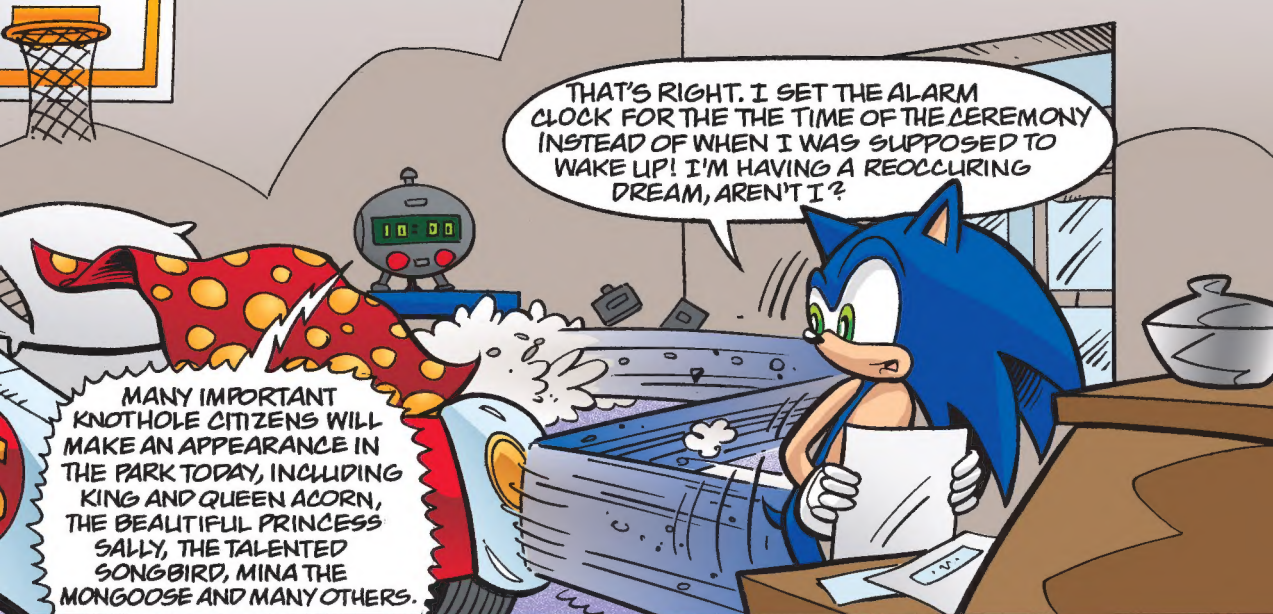


IT'S GOING TO BE  
IN THE 70'S FOR  
MY CEREMONY IN  
THE PARK,  
RIGHT?

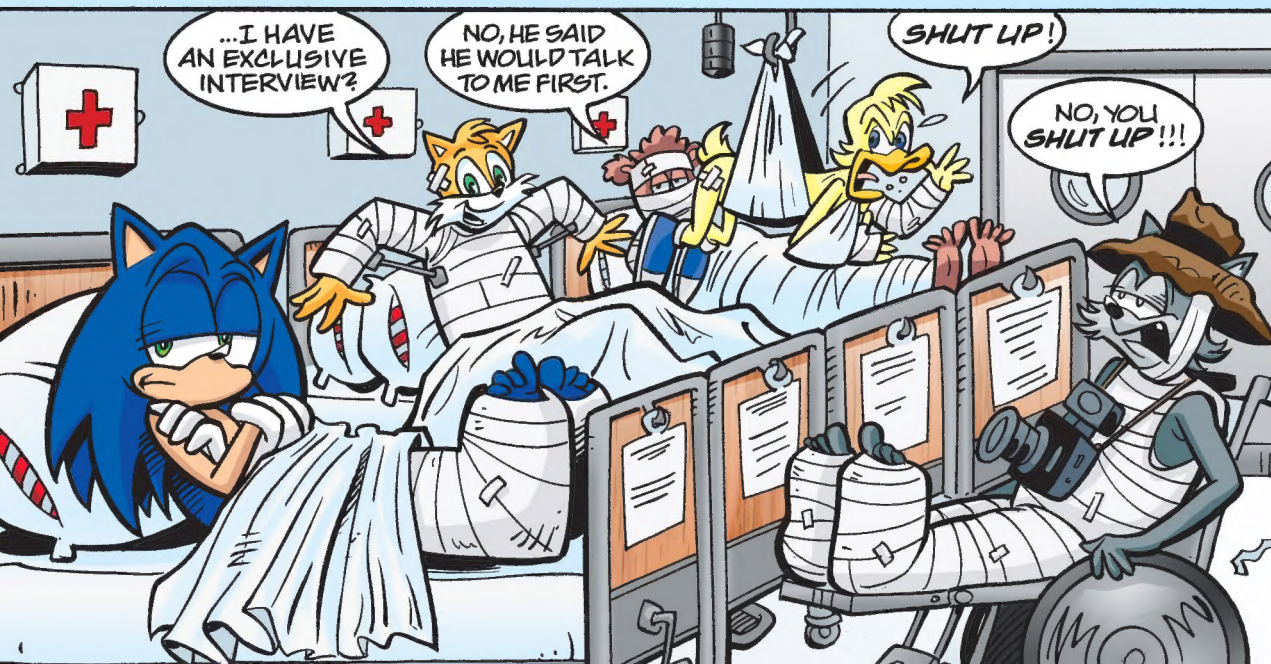
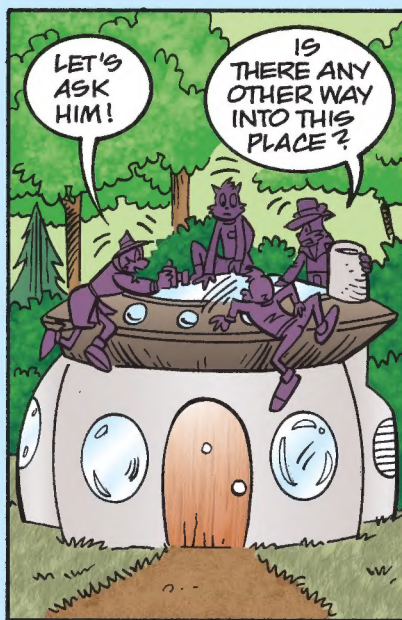


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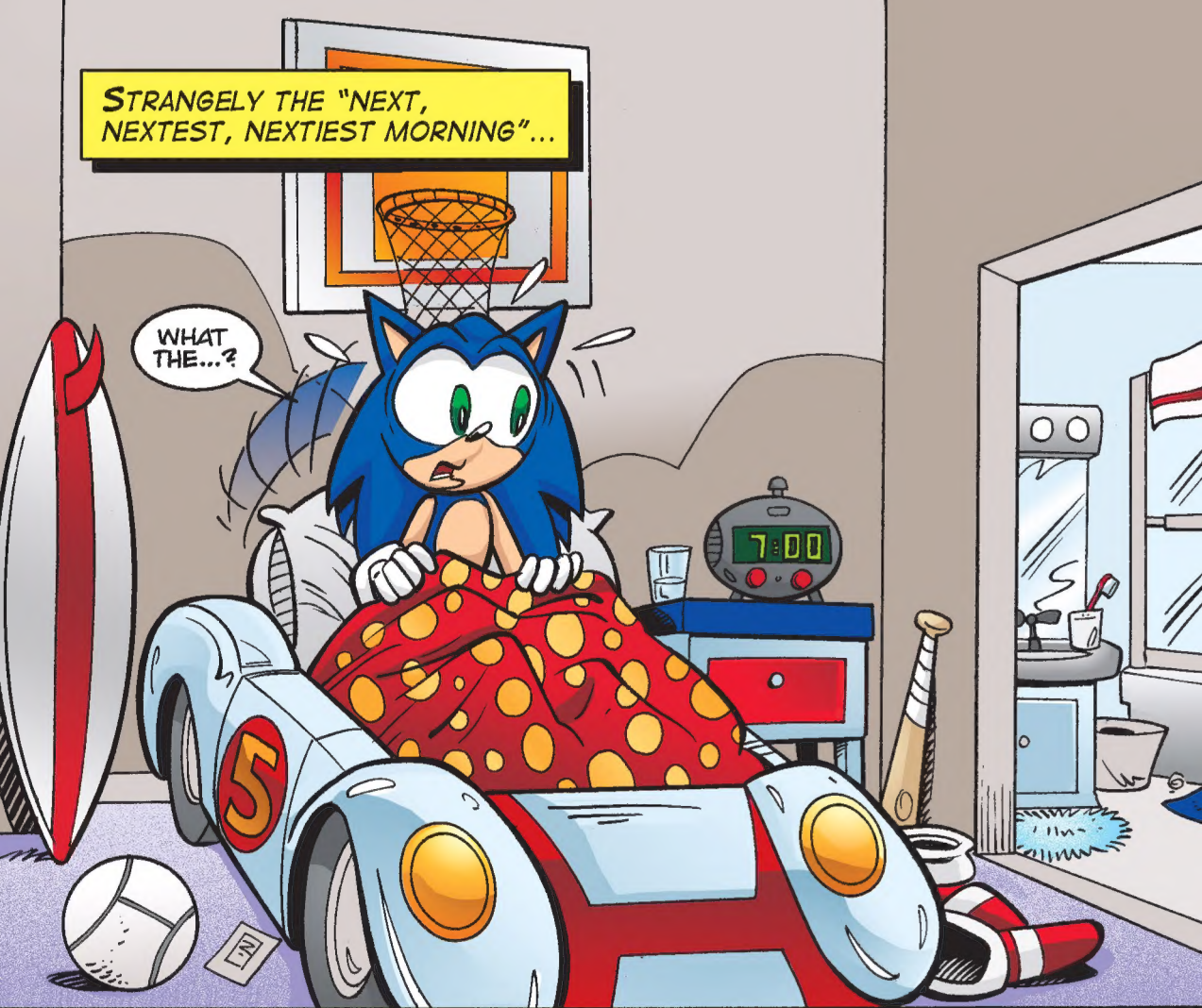




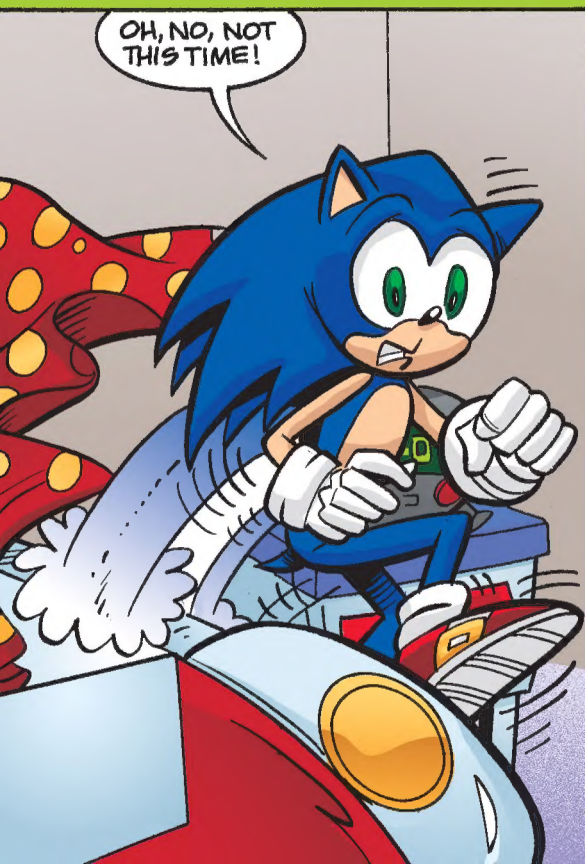


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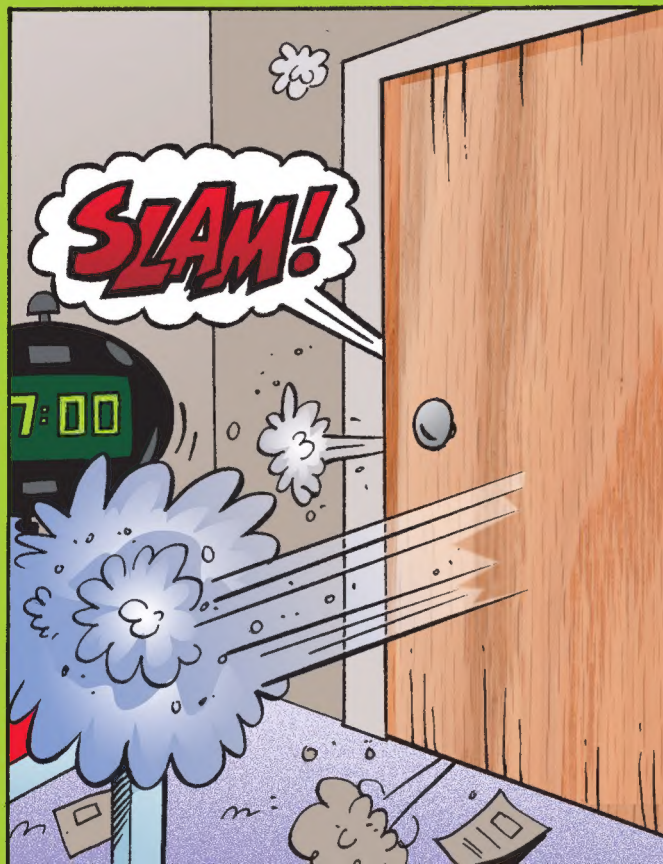
WHAT  
THE...?



OH, NO, NOT  
THIS TIME!



**SLAM!**







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